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AMEMBASSY BANGKOK

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SUBJECT: UN POPULATION COMMISSION MEETING, NEW YORK, MARCH 4-15,
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1. ON FEB. 26 EMBOFF MET T. KURODA, HEAD, POPULATION POLICY
DIVISION, INSTITUTE OF POPULATION PROBLEMS, MINISTRY OF
HEALTH AND WELFARE, WHO ALSO GOJ REP TO UN POPULATION
COMMISSION, TO DELIVER DOCUMENTS AND PROVIDE BRIEFING ON
USG VIEWS ON POPULATION PLAN OF ACTION. IN RESPONSE,
KURODA SAID HE APPRECIATED RECEIPT
USG VIEWS BECAUSE HIS
PERSONAL REACTION TO SECOND UN DRAFT WAS THAT IT TOO
BLAND, GENERALLY UNSITISFACTORY, AND THAT IT OMITTED SOME
IMPORTANT POINTS, IN PARTICULAR, OBJECTIVE OF ZERO
POPULATION GROWTH FOR ADVANCED COUNTRIES. KURODA SAID
HE BELIEVES GOJ, MOST OTHER ASIAN COUNTRIES, U.K., AND
SWEDEN ALL FEEL UN DRAFT UNSATISFACTORY. KURODA SAID
HE HAD BEEN THINKING OF DISCUSSING MATTER WITH REPS OF
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PHILIPPINES, THAI, AND INDONESIAN GOVERNMENTS PRIOR TO

MARCH 4 MEETING AND IN ANY CASE HE WILL BE HAPPY TO WORK ON NEW DRAFT WITH CLAXTON AND DRAPER AT MEETING. KURODA PROMISED INFORM EMBASSY IF HE HAD ANY FURTHER COMMENTS PRIOR TO MEETING.

2. ON FEB. 26 EMBOFF ALSO DELIVERED NEW USG DRAFT AND GAVE BRIEFING TO ONDA, HEAD, SOCIAL AFFAIRS DIVISION, UN BUREAU, FONOFF. ALTHOUGH HE MADE NO SUBSTANTIVE COMMENT DURING BRIEF MEETING, ONDA ALSO EXPRESSED APPRECIATION FOR THE INFO, AND SAID HE WOULD CONSULT WITH COLLEAGUES AND BE IN TOUCH WITH EMBASSY IF RESPONSE WERE APPROPRIATE. SHOESMITH

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